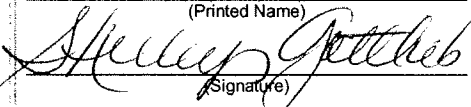


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Title: NUCLEOSIDE DERIVATIVES  
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VIRUS INFECTION  
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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION FOR  
PTO MISTAKE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.322(a)**

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Sir:

Enclosed, in duplicate, is a Certificate of Correction, Form PTO-1050, for United States Patent Number 7,425,547 issued September 16, 2008. The following Patent Office printing errors appear in the issued patent:

**IN THE CLAIMS**

The exact claim and line number where the errors in the issued patent are shown correctly in the application file are:

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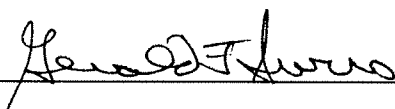
Applicant submits that the above changes would not constitute new matter, and correction thereof would not require reexamination.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.322, Applicant requests that the enclosed Certificate of Correction be approved.

Although Applicant believes that no fee is required for this Request, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this Request to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

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